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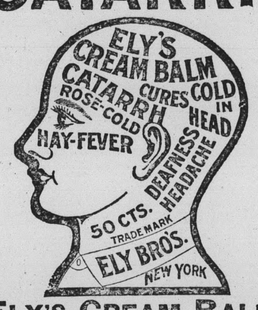

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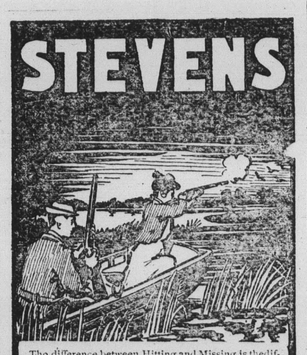

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After Huntly had got his sister aboard the Rocky Mountain Limited and comfortably settled in her section he looked about to see if by any chance there were any of his friends aboard to whom he might confide the care of his sister for the journey from Chicago to Denver. His eye fell on Maddox—big Jim Maddox of Cripple Creek and Seattle and Los Angeles, a mining argonaut who knew his west as a Boston girl does her Henry James.

A moment later Maddox's big fist was squeezing the blood out of the clubman's limp hand.

"By thunder, Huntly, but I'm glad to see you. Let me see—last time I saw you was on the dump of the Mollie K., out in God's country. 'Member the day I drove you up Son-of-a-Gun hill and sold you 5,000 shares in the James G. Blaine? We saw weather that day, young man. The blizzard sure did hit us on the way home. You on the way out there now?"

Huntly rescued a paralyzed hand before he ventured on explanations. "No. I'm seeing my sister started. She has not been well, and the doctors have ordered a complete change. We're sending her to Denver. It was the original plan that I should go with her, but I received a telegram this morning that the senior partner of our firm has died suddenly, and it is imperative that I should leave for New York at once. Would it be asking too much of you to see that she doesn't get too lonesome and that she makes connections with my aunt at Denver?"

"Well, I guess not. That's what I'm here for—to help out my friends when they need me. But I'm not much of a lady's man. Miss Huntly will have to take me in the rough."

Now, big hearted, breezy Jim Maddox was the very man to cheer a homesick girl who was traveling in search of health. He was as full of good spirits and wholesome energy as a Fourth of July is of noise. He had in his varied past experiences enough back of him to beggar romance, and he had the gift of breezy narration as few men have it. To be sure, he didn't know anything about young college graduates from Bryn Mawr, but as soon as he had seen Miss Huntly he was more than willing to learn.

Helen Huntly accepted the introduction with outward reserve and with inward doubt. She was tired, and she did not want to have to smile and look pleasant to this big, awkward man for two whole days. But Maddox did not know of the existence of either the doubt or the reserve. If he had, it wouldn't have mattered. His big brown hand came out and buried the little white one, and somehow the girl found herself less lonely when she looked into the honest, smiling, blue eyed face of this tanned stranger.

Before they had reached Rock Island she was congratulating herself on the good fortune that had made him her traveling companion. He was the most interesting man on her list, she decided. More strange adventures had fallen to his lot than to a dozen average men. He told his experiences quite simply and because she was interested in hearing them, not at all because he was proud of them. He seemed to have gathered into his personality the freedom and the breadth of about a dozen of the mountain states. He wasn't coarse in the least, but he was as unconventional as a Kansas cyclone in action. He trampled unconsciously on her New England traditions with a vigor that would have shocked if it had not amused her. They simply did not exist for him; that was all.

The emotions of Jim Maddox were not a bit complex. When after two happy days he said goodby at the Union depot in Denver, where Miss Huntly's aunt met her, he had already made up his mind to marry her or know the reason why. As he phrased it to himself:

"You've struck the best vein of ore you ever unearthed, Jim Maddox, and if you don't follow it up you're the biggest fool in Arapahoe county."

He certainly followed it up, and if his mines at Cripple Creek required any great amount of personal attention during the next three weeks they must have suffered, for their owner openly and patently made it the business of his life to woo Miss Huntly. He organized picnics and excursions galore, and he always contrived to be the man who was paired off with her. Finally he induced a party of the elder Miss Huntly's choosing to go camping in the mountains near a new mine he was developing.

As to Miss Huntly, Jr., her feelings were as a house arrayed against itself. She found herself falling into a greater liking than she cared to admit for this free and easy blond Hercules, and the nature of her liking did not approve itself to her judgment. She knew, of course, that he was in love with her and the knowledge of it sent delightful thrills to her heart, but afterward she would scourge herself for it. The things that had formerly seemed to her vital she began to find herself appraising by his unconventional standards, and all the instincts of her life training fought against the concessions to the western spirit. Even while the charm of his easy breadth fascinated her, the Puritan and the social instincts of the girl rebelled at accepting them. She liked immensely the frank equality that existed between him and his workmen, but she knew that such a relation would not be possible for a minute in the east. And, after all, she told herself, she belonged to the east, at which point in her meditations Jim Maddox would perhaps arrive and set her heart to hammering at his friendly audacities.

It was at a picnic up Apex canyon that the young mine owner declared himself. After luncheon he had taken her farther up the gulch to see a curious rock formation, and there, seated on a big rock in the shallow mountain stream, with the steep bluffs rising on each side of them, he had asked her to marry him.

"I'm not worthy of you by a thousand miles. I'm only a rough, self made man with a sort of pick me up education. I don't suppose I'd know a Gainsborough from a Nattier if I saw them walking down the street together. I reckon I know the points of a cayuse, and I can tell pay ore when I see it, but that happens to be my business. So far as I can make it out, there's just one point in my favor—there couldn't any man love you more than I do, dear. I'll have to rest my case on that. I'd make you happy if it were in me."

Miss Huntly leaned forward and put her chin in her hand. Her gray eyes were troubled and her forehead furrowed. She looked quite cool, though her heart thumped madly.

"I'm ashamed of myself. I always thought that a girl ought to know her own heart. I have no patience with myself," she said.

"Do you mean"—

"I mean that I don't know, Mr. Maddox. I like you more than any man I ever met and in a different way, but I'm not sure that"—

From farther up the canyon there came a mighty roar. Maddox grew white beneath the tan. He gave the girl his hand and lifted her to her feet.

"Come, run for your life," he commanded hoarsely, and she, looking in his face, wondered at the sudden change.

They reached the bank and raced for the sides of the gorge that shut them in. Up the precipitous cliffs they clambered, his arm round her waist, clinging to scrub brush or flaming goldenrod, as chance happened. In another instant the great wall of water leaped into sight round the bend in the gorge and tore hungrily at them. Maddox felt the almost irresistible suction, but hung desperately to a slender quaking aspen with one hand while the other, still encircling the girl, clutched at a point of rock. The water caught fiercely at them, tore their footing from under them, beat against them with a force hardly to be denied. But Maddox knew the struggle was for the life he most valued on earth, for if the current once swept them away they would surely be beaten to pieces on the rocks.

"I can't hold on longer," she told him.

"You must," he bade her sternly "Just another minute, girl."

How long that minute was he never knew, but at last the water from the cloudburst had spent its force and fallen away from them. Together they worked slowly up the cliff to a great abutting rock, and on this the girl sat, almost fainting with fatigue and excitement. There was still a great fear in her face. She held her hands out to Maddox.

"Don't let me go. I am afraid," she said. Then again, shivering, "I am afraid, Jim."

His eyes shone. "It's all right now, Helen. The danger is past. I'll stand by you, little woman."

He put his arm around her and kissed her hair. She, still trembling, snuggled closer in his arms.

Watering Plants.

Watering is an exacting labor, and yet half of it is usually unnecessary. The reasons why it is unnecessary are two—the soil is so shallowly prepared that the roots do not strike deep enough; we waste the moisture by allowing the soil to become hard, thereby setting up capillary connection with the atmosphere and letting the water escape.

See how moist the soil is in spring. Mulch it so that the moisture will not evaporate. Mulch it with a garden rake, by keeping the soil loose and dry on top. This loose, dry soil is the mulch. There will be the moisture underneath. Save water rather than add it. Then when you do have to water the plants go at it as if you meant it. Do not dribble. Wet the soil clear through. Wet it at dusk or in cloudy weather. Before the hot sun strikes it renew your mulch or supply a mulch of fine litter. More plants are spoiled by sprinkling than by drought. Bear in mind that watering is only a special practice; the general practice is to so fit and maintain the ground that the plants will not need watering.—Country Life In America.

The Japanese Acrobat's Toes.

The little Japanese acrobat, in his short robe of black embroidered with gold dragons, walked slowly up the slanting wire cable to the very roof of the circus tent. There he paused a moment, and then—swish, swish, swish—he slid smoothly and gracefully down the steep wire to the ground. Elevating his voice above the loud applause an old circus man said: "That sliding trick has never been learned by a European. It's a trick that the Japs alone do. If you watched our little friend you noticed that he always kept the wire between his big toe and the second toe. When he slid, the wire was between his toes. That is the way the Japanese learn to walk the wire, but we English and Americans can't learn to walk in that way because our toes have not the same suppleness and strength. Our toes, confined for generations in unhygienic, tight, heavy leather boots have no muscle and no mobility. To slide down a wire requires well developed toes first of all. We, therefore, can't match the Japs in this showy, telling and difficult feat."—Philadelphia Record.

A Purist.

Most persons believe Stevenson's verses for children may, without correction or amendment, safely be placed in the hands of the impressionable youngster without corrupting either his morals or his English. But there are some who think otherwise, says an exchange.

Little Alice's mother, having taught the child to say "Time to rise," in which "the birdie with a yellow bill" figures, the child announced that she meant to recite it to her teacher.

"Well, and what did Miss Prim say to 'the birdie with a yellow bill?'" asked Alice's mother when the little girl returned from school.

"She says it is quite a pretty thought. But this is the way she makes me say it now, mamma:

"A birdie with a yellow bill
Hopped upon the window sill,
Cocked his shining eye and said,
'Are you not ashamed, you sleepy-head?'"

"But that was not the way the birdie said it, Alice," the mother remonstrated.

"No, mamma, I know. But teacher says it isn't good English to say, 'Ain't you 'shamed, you sleepyhead?'"

Spanish Politeness.

The most perfect example of Spanish politeness was a letter left for the Duke of Marlborough by Dom Arrom de Ayala, a Spanish consul, who committed suicide in Blenheim park on April 14, 1859:

My Lord—I humbly ask your lordship's pardon and forgiveness for the great liberty I have taken in coming to put an end to my dreary and miserable existence in your park. It may be a childish feeling, but one cannot blow his brains out in a common road, or on one of those cultivated fields full of cottages and life and civilization and railways and establishments of all kinds in which your blessed country of England abounds.

I mean no offense. Your manor is one of the most noble, splendid things I ever saw in my life, and I have traveled about and seen everything worth seeing. You have the finest Rubens that can be seen. That should have a great attraction for me under other circumstances, but now they have been of no use. I am your lordship's most obedient servant.

ARROM DE AYALA.

Dancing Dervishes.

A visitor to Constantinople gives this picture of the dancing dervishes: "The worshipers, having divested themselves of their flowing cloaks, stretched out their arms and began to revolve, at first slowly and rhythmically, but gradually warming to it. In a few seconds the hall beneath was alive with a host of figures reeling and twirling round and round with ever increasing rapidity to the weird music of reed flutes and cymbals—both instruments conducive to spiritual exaltation. In a few more seconds their long white robes bulged and expanded like colossal parasols, until the whole mass merged in one immense cloud of calico, while their towering headdresses assumed in the spectator's bewildered eyes the appearance of a large congregation of chimney pots suddenly gone whirling mad."

The Cause of the Row.

An Irish undertaker was laying out the deceased husband of a weeping Hibernian widow. The corpse wore a wig, and it was very difficult to induce it to stay on straight, as wigs ought always to do, even if they don't. The bereaved widow was called in to assist. "Go an' git me a pot of glue, Mrs. McGovern," said the undertaker, "so that I may keep his wig where it belongs."

Mrs. McGovern set out after the sticking material and after a time she returned. "Here is the glue for ye," she said, with a sigh.

"Mrs. McGovern, you kin take back the mucilage," said the undertaker. "The difficulty is fixed. I used a tack."

And that was what caused the row.—Bradford Era.

Habit-forming Medicines.

Whatever may be the fact as to many of the so-called patent medicines containing injurious ingredients as broadly published in some journals of more or less influence, this publicity has certainly been of great benefit in arousing needed attention to this subject. It has, in a considerable measure, resulted in the most intelligent people avoiding such foods and medicines as may be fairly suspected of containing the injurious ingredients complained of. Recognizing this fact some time ago, Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., "took time by the forelock," as it were, and published broadcast all the ingredients of which his popular medicines are composed. Thus he has completely forestalled all harping critics and all opposition that might otherwise be urged against his medicines because they are NOW OF KNOWN COMPOSITION. Furthermore, from the formula printed on every bottle wrapper, it will be seen that these medicines contain no alcohol or other habit-forming drugs. Neither do they contain any narcotics or injurious agents, their ingredients being purely vegetable, extracted from the roots of medicinal plants found growing in the depths of our American forests and of well recognized curative virtues.

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Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., April 7, 1906.

H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

CELESTE GRANICE MURPHY, Associate Editor.

THE Sonoma Valley Woman's Club is conceded to be one of the greatest local factors in Sonoma's upbuilding. It has been a success and is still thriving and is possessed of a harmonious and cosmopolitan spirit that is hard to duplicate anywhere. In Santa Rosa social lines were drawn in the improvement club there and that meant its downfall. The Sonoma women throw aside everything of a petty nature and combine for the common good. The broad work being done affords no time for little personal matters to creep into the club and so it is a success. At intervals there have been comments on the social cup of tea that is passed around to the club women at some of the meetings but those who criticized this, little understood, though perhaps they do now, the cup of tea was the cement of souls and was a little incentive for the gathering of the clans. Women frequently inagurate features that are a great deal deeper than the apparent tea-cup.

THE manifestation of a generous and broad-minded spirit on the part of our neighbors in this county should be appreciated by all Sonoma Valley. It was demonstrated on Saturday last when some of the most representative men from Santa Rosa and Petaluma came here to put a shoulder to the wheel and help Sonoma along in its efforts to secure the State Farm.

By helping ourselves, we are coming to be looked up to and are gaining prestige and recognition that we never got before. While we sat idly by we got no help from any one. It is the old adage over and over again, "God helps those who help themselves." As soon as we began to have faith in our valley, we inspired the outside world with it and where once Sonoma was spoken of with sheer pity or simple sentiment it is now talked of seriously from a business standpoint and is being considered as a field for the investment of capital by some of the foremost capitalists of the State.

THE batchelor who found eight babies at his front door probably thought that was a few too many to lay at any one batchelor's doorstep.

THE judge who must try the divorce case in which a wife alleges that her spouse never takes a bath can properly dub it a kind of a dirty case.

A prehistoric oyster was found in Mendocino. We have some prehistoric lobsters in Sonoma.

The Girl's Sewing Club Entertain.

Miss Campbell entertained the members of the Girl's Sewing Club, together with their boy friends and schoolmates, last Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Campbell. Candy-pulling was the feature of the early afternoon, and the caps and aprons donned by all the young people caused much merriment. Out-door games and contests followed and the afternoon passed all too quickly for the guests. Dainty refreshments were served late in the afternoon. Miss Campbell was assisted by the decoration and entertainment committee of the club, by her brother Mr. Geo. Campbell and Miss MacQuiddy. Those present were: Emily Poppe, Edna Cooper, Bella Johnson, Etta Englund, Eva Dresel, Marie Clewe; Ella Englund, Mary Pinelli, Stella Bill, Margaret Petersen, Martha Gordenker, Isabel Trudgen, Gertrude Calderwood, Nellie Petersen, Donald Campbell, Rudolph Wagner, Otto Dresel, Ralph Perkins, Frederick Duhring, Donald MacQuiddy, Swinton Aldrich, Lloyd Hotz, Harry Lutgens, Ray Cooper, Granville Harris, Jr., and Purdy Campbell.

Popular Young People Wed.

Miss Perle Langrebe of Glen Ellen and James Rubke, a young brakesman on the California Northwestern railroad, were married this week and are now receiving the congratulations of their many friends.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

James Modini visited in San Francisco several days this week.

Oscar T. Weber came up from San Francisco Wednesday night.

James A. Walls of Petaluma was visiting Sonoma friends Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Bates went down to to the metropolis Wednesday morning.

The Emily S. Loud place on Broadway is reported to have been sold.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Weems are up from Belvedere looking after their property interests here.

A. S. Woods, a prominent member of the Dunbar Improvement Club of Glen Ellen, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maloney (nee Evelyn Waugaman) of San Francisco were presented with a baby boy last week.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society will be at the home of Miss Winkle next Tuesday, April 10th.

Mayor Poppe's home was visited by the stork Monday and a 11-pound son is now making things lively for Julius.

Dr. G. C. Nichols was in town Tuesday. The doctor intends to take up his residence here and engage in the practice of medicine.

The report that Ehard Steiger was the father of twins was circulated by a practical joker of Schellville. Instead of twins Mrs. Steiger gave birth to a fine baby girl.

Theodor Richards, proprietor of the Agua Caliente Springs, went down to San Francisco Wednesday to engage a corps of waiters for the summer season at his big resort.

Miss Riensch and her nephew, Ernest Clewe, will go to Germany this summer, Miss Riensch will visit brothers and sisters she has not seen for twenty years and young Clewe will study music while abroad.

Devil's Island Torture

is no worse than the terrible case of piles that afflicted me 10 years. Then I was advised to apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and less than a box permanently cured me, writes L. S. Napier, of Rugles, Ky. Heals all wounds, burns and sores like magic. 25c at L. S. Simmons, druggist.

DOINGS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

On Judge Seawell's probate calendar in Department One appeared the following cases Monday morning:

Matters in estate of Leonard Schwan were continued to May 28.

Petition for order of sale of real property was made in the estate of John Gallagher; bond $2000, and petition to set aside estate of Edward Edwards to widow was granted.

Final account was settled and allowed and distribution ordered in the estates of Margaret Boyd Clark and Morton W. Stockdale.

Return sale of real estate was confirmed in the estate of Isaac E. Shaw.

The estates of Jennie A. Hensley Edwin Singmaster and Giacomo Balbi were continued to April 9.

Will of William H. Pepper was admitted and W. B. Haskell and W. R. Pepper were granted letters of administration to serve without bonds.

Letters of administration were issued to Mary Pedroni in estate of Angelo D. D. Pedroni; bond $2500.

Letters of guardianship were granted to Mary C. Patchett in the estates of John M. Patchett and other minors.

These were the civic matters on the calendar in Department One:

Motion to strike out was granted and demurrer was sustained in the action of Pierre St. Martin vs. Jean Momboisse, and others. Ten days were granted to amend.

The divorce case of Abbie M. Hall vs. Walter C. Hall was set for May 8, by consent.

These matters were continued: Mary E. Roberts vs. Robert Forsyth, to April 16; Bloom vs. Grant, Kellas vs. Sanders.

In the case of Anglo-California Bank vs. Norman W. Griswold, it was ordered the plantiff have 30 days after the entry of judgment to prepare bill of exceptions.

Judge Burnett's calendar contained these matters:

The case of the people vs. W. Luddock was continued three months.

Arraignment of the Levin Tanning Company was continued to April 9.

The case of Henry Maxmillian was set for trail for May 10.

The following cases were continued to April 9: Meyer vs. Meyer, J. T. Wheeler vs. Annie Wheeler and Forni vs. Ariasa.

These matters were continued to April 16: L. W. Burris vs. T. J. Flanagan, Caroline P. Miller vs. Amanda Gibbs, Laura Overton vs. William Overton, Louise Moller vs. Wm. R. Moller.

The case of R. Sture vs. W. F. Price was set for trial for June 5.

Reports of referees in the action of Isaac R. Thomas vs. Matilda Williamson, was confirmed and decrees granted.

Final account was settled and allowed and distribution ordered in the estate of Cornelia W. Woodward.

A guardian ad litem was appointed for William Palmer in the estate of J. Pitt vs John A. Palmer and others.

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The tissues of the throat are inflamed and irritated; you cough, and there is more irritation—more coughing. You take a cough mixture and it eases the irritation—for a while. You take

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Human Blood Marks.

A tale of horror was told by marks of human blood in the home of J. W. Williams, a well known merchant of Bac, Ky. He writes: "Twenty years ago I had severe hemorrhages of the lungs, and was near death when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. It completely cured me and I have remained well ever since." It cures Hemorrhages, Chronic Coughs, Settled Colds and Bronchitis, and is the only known cure for Weak Lungs. Every bottle guaranteed by L. S. Simmons Druggist. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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Flower Seeds

Hon. Duncan E. McKinlay has sent this office a limited number of packages of flower seeds for free distribution among the farmers of this valley. These seeds can be had by calling at this office.

Is the Moon Inhabited?

Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite; but not for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth of ours; especially those who do not know that Electric Bitters cure Headache, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills and Fever, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Torpid Liver, Kidney complaints, General Debility and Female weaknesses. Unequalled as a general tonic and appetizer for weak persons and especially for the aged. It induces sound sleep. Fully guaranteed by L. S. Simmons, Druggist. Price only 50c.

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Congressman McKinlay has again sent this office a quantity of vegetable seed for free distribution among his constituents in this valley. There are five varieties of seed in each package consisting of peas, collard, muskmelon, parsley and lettuce. Parties desiring a package of these seeds will please call at this office.

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Will be in effect every day, Feb. 15 to April 7, and Sept. 15 to Oct. 31, 1906, from all points in the East and South.

Following are a few:

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St. Louis	30 00	St. Joseph & Atchison	25.00
Galveston	26.45	Council Bluffs & Omaha	25.00
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Colonist rates ara also in effect from alt points east of Chicago and south of the Ohio river.

Santa Fe Agents in California will take deposits of money to cover price of tickets, which will be promptly furnished to passengers at any point from which these rates are in effect.

California illustrated literature mailed free to any address or may be had from Santa Fe representatives.

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For further information write to or call on

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Wanted — By Chicago manufacturing house, person of trustworthiness and somewhat familiar with local territory as assistant in branch office. Salary $18 paid weekly. Permanent position. No investment required. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Address, Manager Branches, Como Block, Chicago.

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Hay, Grain and Mill Feeds,

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GREEN AND DRIED FRUITS,

Carload lots a specialty. We solicit business in these lines.

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Taxes

Poll, road and personal property taxes for 1906 are now due and must be paid to the undersigned or to Frank E. Dowd, County Assessor of Sonoma county, Santa Rosa.

These taxes will become delinquent on and after July 1, 1906. A settlement now will save the penalty which attaches to all such taxes remaining unpaid after above date.

M. P. AKERS.
Deputy Assessor.
Sonoma, March 11, 1906.

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SONOMA, APRIL 6, 1906.

Leading Paper of Sonoma.

The Jack London Lecture.

Because of the large number interested in the Jack London lecture in this place on April 20th it was thought it might be given in Union Hall on the evening of April 20th instead of in the Woman's Club rooms on the afternoon of that day, but it is probable now that it will be an invitation affair, as first planned. Mr. London did not care to lecture at night in the hall, where an admission would have been charged for the benefit of the club, as the following characteristic letter from him to a club member will show :

Glen Ellen, April 3, 1906.

"In reply to yours of April 2. I note what you have said about changing the time and place of lecture, and have one objection on each count. First, time. I cannot lecture in Sonoma in the evening, because there is no way for me to get back to Glen Ellen at a decent hour, and I must sleep in my own bed at Glen Ellen in order to get up early next morning and go to work.

"Secondly, place of lecture : As I am giving my own services, I do not like the idea of charging admission. When I speak for the Socialist party, I give my services, admission is charged, but the money goes into the treasury of the party, which is my party.

"My idea of this lecture was a sort of neighborly proposition. I come to the club's house, and the neighbors sort of drop in to hear me talk.

"Now, I don't care how big a hall you get, so long as admission is not charged, and I do want to sleep in my own bed in Glen Ellen that night. Sincerely Yours,

JACK LONDON.

BRIEF MENTION

Easter Hats at G. H. Hotz's. *

Easter hats at The Racket Store. *

Beautiful Easter Hats at G. H. Hotz's. *

Daily Call and Index-Tribune $9 per year.

Daunt does the only reliable watch repairing. *

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune only $9 for the two newspapers.

G. H. Hotz will receive another invoice of Trimmed Hats on Sturday, April 7th. *

Now is the time to get your pumps and windmills at J. J. Dunbar's. Plumbing done. *

Any repair work left at Mrs. Lutgen's will receive prompt attention by Daunt. *

Dr. Nufer will have his stallions at the Chase Place next Monday to Wednesday. *

Just arrived at J. J. Dunbar's a fine assortment of the latest and best steel ranges and stoves. *

Sale of Enameled ware Tuesday, April 10th, sale commencing at 10 a. m. Everything goes at 25c. The Racket Store. *

Take Standard Remedy for any disease arising from impure blood. John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county. *

Our Standard Remedy, John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county, is positively the best cure for all diseases arising from impure blood. For sale at Clewe's. *

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is Mrs. Alexander, of Cary, Me., who has found Dr. King's New Pills to be the best remedy she ever tried for keeping the Stomach, Liver and Bowels in perfect order. You'll agree with her if you try these painless purifiers that infuse new life. Guaranteed by L. S. Simmons, druggist. Price 25c.

GOVERNOR PARDEE VIEWS OUR SITE

With State Farm Commission He Looks Over Wickersham Ranch

Last Saturday morning the State Farm Commissioners headed by Governor George C. Pardee came to this valley to inspect the Wickersham ranch which is offered as a site for the State Farm. Prof. E. J. Wickson looked over the property some time ago and reported on it so favorably to the Commission that the gentlemen decided to examine it themselves.

Governor Pardee, E. P. Colgan, Senator Ben. Rush and Elwood Cooper arrived on the morning train via the California Northwestern road and were met by a delegation of Sonoma citizens. A representative party from Santa Rosa was also welcomed and escorted to the four-horse carry-all which took the entire delegation out to the Wickersham property

"Dick" Beamer of Woodland was met at the S. P. crossing and a number of leading Petalumagentlemen also joined the party later on.

The Wickersham site was thoroughly gone over, the soil examined and the water supply looked into. The gentlemen were well pleased with the drainage and were surprised to find so little water standing on the place after the heavy rains which preceded their visit. Governor Pardee was taken to the third story of the big stone house where he got a magnificent view of the valley. After satisfying themselves as to the adaptibility of the property the party was driven into town where the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club had prepared a banquet for the distinguished visitors The club rooms were artistically decorated with California poppies as were also the tables.

Governor Pardee sat at the head of the table and by him were seated R. A. Poppe, toast master, and L. L. Lewis. Among other visitors present were Senator Rush, Elwood Cooper, "Dick" Beamer, E. P. Colgan, Mayor Overton, J. G. Cromwell, Judge Seawell, Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue W. F. Price, C. C. Donovan, Major C. E. Haven. L. W. Juilliard, W. D. Reynolds, W. B. Reynolds, R.Skinner and Dr. Maclean.

After a sumptuous repast, the toast - master called upon Judge Seawell, who responded in a fitting manner. He welcomed the distinguished guests to Sonoma county and spoke high in the praises of Sonoma Valley and the site offered here for the State Farm. In conclusion he declared that, even in the presence of "Dick" Beamer of Yolo county, he ventured to say that Sonoma had the best site in the State. He also complimented the Woman's Club on its good work and hospitality. "Dick Beamer followed with a few remarks and ended his discourse with a poetic tribute to the ladies. Governor Pardee was then called upon and after explaining the mission of the Commission said that he had viewed in the Wickersham place one of the best sites in California and that it was good enough for anybody. He further stated that he revered Sonoma for the historic background of which she could boast and closed with thanks to the hospitable Woman's Club. Mayor Overton followed with an excellent and stirring speech and said if the Wickersham ranch was in Santa Rosa it would be worth $2000 per acre. Genial Ed Colgan captured his hearers when he stated in the course of a few remarks that he would refuse to draw up a warrant for the purchase price of any property other than the Sonoma site. He was followed by F. T. Duhring, Senator Rush, Mr. Cromwell and others. Senator Rush said if he was compelled to make a speech he would vote against the Sonoma site, whereupon there were jocular cries of "sit down," and the Senator did.

After the banquet the gentlemen were shown the Mission and other points of interest until train time when they departed, it is to be hoped, with such an impression that we will get the Farm.

LATER.

A dispatch from Sacramento states that the State Farm Commission, after a lengthy session Thursday, decided te accept the offer of the Davisville Chamber of Commerce. This includes three tracts of land embracing 778 acres, providing all the conditions are carried out. The price is $104,250. All the members of the Commission were in attendance at the session and the selection was unanimous.

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Miss Eva Church to be Wedded.

The engagement of Miss Eva Church and Mr. Glenwood R. Leonhardt is announced. The nuptials of the young couple will take place on Wednesday, April 11th. The bride-to-be is a vivacious girl and the prefty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Church of this valley. She is very popular among the younger set. The happy groom-to-be is a prominent and well-known business man of San Francisco, being the owner of Leonhardt's Oriental Grotto. The trosseau of the bride, it is said, will be very beautiful.

DELIGHTFUL "AT HOME"

Mrs. E. T. Allen and Sister Receive Many Friends on Friday Afternoon at La Lomita.

A delightful "at home" was that of Friday of last week when Mrs. E. T. Allen and her sister Mrs. Langworthy received a large number of their friends at "La Lomita."

The guests began to arrive about three o'clock and were received in a most cordial manner. The company was a most congenial one and the afternoon was altogether most delightful. A dainty repast was served in the spacious dining room where Miss Watson and her cousin assisted the hostess. Among those who called were Dr. and Mrs. Dawson, Miss Shaw, Capt. and Mrs. Boyes, Mrs. and Miss Watson, Mrs. Clewe, Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Stofen, Mr. and Mrs. Ryland, Mrs. H. Bates, Miss McDonnell, Mrs. Appleton. Mrs. Gottenberg, Miss Pemberton, Mrs. O. B. Shaw, Mr. Lodge, Mrs. Hotz, F. T. Duhring, Tom Morris, Misses Fraser and Mrs. W. L. Murphy.

Sonoma Booklets to be Widely Distributed.

The Sonoma Valley booklet enterprise on which Celeste Granice Murphy has been working is meeting with much success and when completed the booklets will be placed so effectively that Sonoma Valley will no longer be unknown to the home-seeker as a desirable place of residence.

The Southern Pacific, which is the best distributor in the county, has been arranged with to put out the Sonoma books as soon as they are completed. The following letter was recently received from the office of the Passenger and Traffic Manager of the company :

San Francisco, March 30, 1906.

Mrs. C. Granice Murphy :

Sonoma, Cal.

My dear Madam :

Referring to your call at this office, I take pleasure in advising that when your contemplated book on Sonoma Valley is printed we shall be pleased to co-operate with you in the distribution of the booklet by placing it with our Eastern representatives in all the large cities of the East, where it will reach all of the class of people who have made up their minds to come to California, but who have not yet determined in what part of the State they will settle.

This will give them an opportunity to read the book during their journey West, and give the book a a chance to do the missionary work for which it is prepared.

It is understood, of course, that the book is to be a high-class and creditable publication and that it will not contain unfavorable comparisons to any other part of the State.

Yours very truly,

CHAS. S. FEE.

PERSONALS.

The skating rink being conducted by Dr. Van Amringe opened last night.

Mayor and Mrs. J. E. Poppe were presented with a young son Sunday evening.

Horace Appleton Jr. comes up from San Francisco to-night for a day's fishing in our trout streams.

Mr. Bosworth went to the metropolis this evensng for the sailing of the Siberia to-day on which Miss Aldrich leaves for Honolulu. Mr. Bosworth has secured passage on the Korea for June with a party at friends.

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BRUTALLY BEAT AGED WOMAN.

Ruffian Attacks Mrs. Breitenbach at an Early Hour Monday Morning.

Mrs. F. Breitenbach, mother of George and Louis Breitenbach, was brutally beaten by an unknown ruffian at her home here early Monday morning. The old lady was alone in the house at the time as her granddaughter who usually stays with her was at home sick.

Mrs. Breitenbach was awakened by the breaking in of her door and the appearance of a rough stranger and before she could ask his business the ruffian seized her by the throat. She managed, however, to scream but her assailant did not desist until he had beaten the old lady in a terrible manner.

Fortunately her son Louis heard his mother scream and his approach frightened the fellow away, otherwise the helpless woman might have been killed.

When found she was bleeding at the nose and mouth, her face was black with bruises and her hand crippled from the struggle with the brutal intruder.

The ruffian made his escape and although Deputy Sheriff Ryan apprehended a man who bore some suspicious scratches, he could not be identified by the old lady as she is partially blind and has not a very clear idea of the appearance of her assailant.

No motive is known for the assault.

Defeated for City Trustee

Dr. A. E. Osborne was defeated for City Trustee at the municipal election in Santa Clara Monday.

EL VERANO.

By Occasional.

Jack Doughney's large barn is nearing completion.

Constable Mouyer is contemplating a camping trip this summer up north.

Tony Graham, our popular road overseer, visited the City of Roses Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Serres went to San Francisco Wednesday afternoon where they will spend a few days.

Ben Curtaz, the well-known piano man and capitalist of San Francisco, is here and will remain a week or two.

El Verano is rapidly filling up with summer visitors and by the end of the month our resorts will be filled to overflowing.

Sunday's S. P. afternoon train was delayed by the derailment of a circus car and arrived here several hours behind schedule time.

Dr and Mrs. Byron and Prof. Walter Nolan arrived in this place from Santa Rosa on Thursday morning's train en route to their Sonoma homes.

A large number of local anglers whipped the trout streams in this vicinity Sunday. The speckled beauties, however, were coy and few were caught.

The Tree Rat Club of El Verano will have another hunt in the near future. President Gates is making arrangements for a big hunt on the Miller rat grounds south of town.

Mrs. Phil Rossi was in San Francisco this week buying furniture for the new building at El Verano, which Mr. and Mrs. Rossi recently built as an addition to their resort.

OCCASIONAL.

El Verano, April 5th, 1906.

Death of Popular Young Doctor.

Dr. James Dominiconi of San Francisco, a well known and popular young man throughout this valley, died at his home in the city Wednesday.

"Self" Dominiconi, as he was familiarly known here, was a graduate of the dental department of the University of California and had an office on Union street, San Francisco. He was of an extremely bright and happy disposition and his death is a shock to his host of friends and many sorrowing relatives.

THE CITY TRUSTEES HOLD SPICY SESSION.

Outgoing Mayor Enlivens Meeting With Pointed Oratory.

The City Trustees held their April meeting Wednesday night and a full Board was present.

Mayor Poppe was in the chair and enlivened the ordinary routine of the session with repartee and pointed oratory.

The following bills were passed and ordered paid :

E. J. Johannsen, hauling gravel	$ 12 00
S. Sebastino, " "	7 00
Water Company, water	15 00
Maguire & Keil, hydrants, etc	32 20
Geo. Vincent, hauling gravel	17 50
J. H. Albertson, salary	15 00
H. Pooler, labor	9 00
L. H. Green, lumber	6 75
S. V. Company, light two months	68 85
Total	$174 30

A communication was received from C. Aguillon asking permission to run a ditch from his lot to the open ditch on First-street West for drainage purposes. Referred to the street committee.

The contract for lights was continued for another month.

The chairman of the Plaza section of the Woman's Club asked the Board to have the walks in the Plaza cleaned. The communication was placed on file.

Dr. Van Amringe petitioned for a skating rink license to conduct a skating rink in Sonoma six days in the week. The matter was referred to the committee on finance and legislation.

Mayor Poppe then brought up the subject of the New City Hall's progress and declared that he wanted to see things move faster. He advocated more men and more teams for the new municipal structure.

The bill for the souvenir trowel was again held up.

No further business appearing the meeting adjourned.

Leaves For Sunny Italy Next Tuesday.

Lorenzo Modini, a pioneer resident of this place, leaves for his old home in Italy next Tuesday and will be absent six months or a year. Mr. Modini has been engaged in the hotel business here for over 35 years and has won the confidence and esteem of all our people who have had business dealings with him. He has been a City Trustee for four years and recently resigned as Engine Foreman of the Sonoma Vofunteer Fire Department after holding the position for sixteen consecutive years. It has been many years since Mr. Modini has set foot on his native soil and we opine that the years have wrought many changes in the home of his childhood in sunny Italy and that he will return to the home of his adoption more than ever convinced that "the land of the brave and the home of the free" is not a bad country to live in. In his temporary leave-taking for foreign shores Mr. Modini will carry with him the best wishes of hosts of friends who wish him a pleasant journey and a safe return.

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Is certain if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

This great medicine cures those eruptions, pimples and boils that appear at all seasons; cures scrofula sores, salt rheum or eczema; adapts itself equally well to, and also cures, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles; cures rheumatism and catarrh; cures nervous troubles, debility and that tired feeling.

SPECIAL.—To meet the wishes of those who prefer medicine in tablet form, we are now putting up Hood's Sarsaparilla in chocolate-coated tablets as well as in the usual liquid form. By reducing Hood's Sarsaparilla to a solid extract, we have retained in the tablets the curative properties of every medicinal ingredient. Sold by druggists or sent by mail. 100 doses one dollar. C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Helen L. Thompson of Lewiston, Me., reports great benefit to her little girl from Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purified her blood after an attack of that blood-poisoning disease, scarlet fever. It gave her strength and renewed health. Thousands of others tell of similar cures, also cures of scrofula, salt rheum, eczema, etc.

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It does not contain an atom of phosphatic acid (which is the product of bones digested in sulphuric acid) or of alum (which is one-third sulphuric acid) substances adopted for other baking powders because of their cheapness.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL SCANDAL.

The scandal which involves the Sonoma Grammar School and its principal, Prof. Nolan, is being ventilated in the daily press The details are too disgusting and involves too many good familes for discussion in these columns.

The whole matter is now in the hands of the County Board of Education and District Attorney Pond. The latter, in answer to a query over the phone, sent from this office at 4 P. M., Friday, declared that he had been misquoted in the "Examiner" of that day and that he never has made nor does he now make the statements attributed to him in that paper and that he will press the charges made against Prof. Nolan before the County Board of Education. We publish this simply to show how the case stands at this writing and that there will be an investigation.

City Election Takes Place Monday

Three trustees, a city treasurer, city clerk and a city marshal are to be elected on Monday. For city trustees our voters can chose from nine men whose names appear on the ballot as follows : Henry F. Bates, George Breitenbach, Charles Dal Poggetto, H. W. Gottenberg, Walter L. Murphy, A. Pinelli, L. Quartaroli, John D. Wagnon and Peter Yenni.

For city clerk, L. H. Green and J. B. Small.

For city treasurer, Jesse Burris and Wm. Clewe.

For city marshal, J. H. Albertson.

The election will undoubtedly be a lively one as much interest has been manifested in the outcome. The polls will open at 6 a. m. on Monday and close at 5 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Weise were in Santa Rosa Wednesday.

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GLEN ELLEN

By Aurora.

Mrs. Gordenker was in Sonoma Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wickem were in Sonoma Wednesday.

Mrs. Robt. P. Hill returned from the metropolis Wednesday evening.

Miss Justi and Miss Schubert had business in Sonoma Wednesday.

Mr. Walter Bonbright transacted business at the county seat Monday.

Mr and Mrs. Westrup and daughter leave for England on the 14th inst.

Miss Gage returned from Berkeley Saturday where she had been on a visit.

Miss Nellie Gordenker came up from the metropolis Wednesday evening.

Miss Miner has returned from a five weeks vacation in the metropolis and Martinez.

Mrs. A. E. Gaige went to Sacramento Saturday to visit her daughter Mrs. Frank Brown.

The Dunbar Improvement Club will give a social dance on the evening of May 5th.

Last Monday one of the steam pipes burst in the boiler room at the brick yard which gave some of the men quite a scare and delayed work for a short time.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church is going to give an oyster supper Saturday evening from 6 p. m. to 9 p. m. Oysters will be served under the direction of chef Forment.

AURORA.

Glen Ellen, April 6th, 1906.

TO THE VOTERS OF SONOMA

As I am a candidate for the office of city trustee, I hereby wish to state taat I am an advocate of all public improvements and if elected my policy will be broad but conservative one. I favor all efforts for the betterment of Sonoma, and believe that the board of trustees should not be unmindful of the public demand for such improvements as a sewer, for instance, but that it should see its way clear to carry out such projects without incurring too heavy a debt on the municipality.

I believe that the business of a city should be conducted according to business principles. My policy briefly stated is—municipal improvements in accordance with business methods.

W. L. MURPHY.

POLITICAL CARDS

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SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

A GENIUS IN JAIL.

Von Siemens' First Patent Was Applied For From a Prison.

Von Siemens applied for his first patent from the cell of a prison. After graduation from the artillery school in Berlin the young man, then only twenty-one years old, was attached to a regiment in Wittenberg. It was there he began his experiments, to the great horror of his landlady, who upbraided him day after day for staining his clothes, furniture and the window panes with gold, silver and acid spots. She could not see the use of "wasting money for such things." But Von Siemens went on with his experiments and with staining his furniture and clothes.

He became, too, the life of the garrison and one of its most popular members. His popularity, however, led to his taking part as second in a duel between two of his comrades. As a result he was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the fortress of Magdeburg. The landlady was the only person in Wittenberg who was glad of the young lieutenant's departure. In the cell in the fortress, however, he was allowed to fit up a laboratory and there continue his experiments. There, too, a month after his incarceration he perfected his method of galvanic gilding and applied for the patent from the prison cell.

It was granted and with it a pardon. A pardon in all probability was never received with less glee. Siemens had other experiments under way in his prison workshop and begged to be allowed to stay awhile longer and complete them. But the keeper sent him away with the declaration that such a course would be an insult to his king and commander.

Children's Blunders.

A Philadelphia schoolteacher tells of these blunders of children in physiology examination papers:

"Occupations which are injurious to the health are carbolic acid gas, which is impure blood."

"When you have an illness it makes your health bad, as well as having a disease."

"A stone mason's work is injurious because when he is chipping he breathes in all the little chips, and then they are taken into the lungs."

"All mechanical work is injurious to the health."

The word "function" seemed to puzzle the children tremendously. Questions containing that word were answered as follows:

"The skin discharges a function called perspiration."

"The function of the heart is between the lungs."

"The heart's function is called thorax."

"Grant's Luck."

I did not go out to see the surrender of General Lee. I remember well the event of General Grant's return after the surrender. I think there were not more than three persons present when the general came in and took a seat at a table to write. He looked up with some expression of animation and remarked:

"More of Grant's luck!"

This was an allusion to the newspaper critics who had been in the habit of calling his success luck.

This little comment on the surrender of Lee was the only word of exultation I ever heard from the victorious soldier.

It was a very slight expression of triumph to follow such a stupendous achievement, but wholly characteristic. —National Magazine.

Royalty and Chess.

Cards have been the amusement of kings and queens for centuries, superseding latterly the royal game of chess, which filled up the leisure moments of William the Conqueror, Queen Elizabeth and Charles I. The latter was so absorbed in his favorite pastime when the news reached him that Scotland had determined to sell him to the English parliament that, though well aware what the intelligence boded, he calmly played the game to the end. Queen Victoria preferred chess to cards, though during her old age she found diversion by playing "patience." A keen chess player, the great Napoleon would not submit to be beaten, and if he found his skill ineffective would throw board and chessmen angrily on the ground.

Moderation In Exercise.

Exercise which is well within the powers of the body is salutary for all and probably necessary for some, but exercise by which those powers are overstrained is too often not only the precursor, but quite unmistakably the cause, of serious illness or of bodily or mental failure. "Why," inquired Saladin, "should the weak display his inferiority in the presence of the strong?" The question is as pertinent in our own day as it was in that on which it was uttered.—London Hospital.

The Place to Knock.

"It will come out all right in time," he told his wife. "Fortune knocks at every man's door once, and some day she'll knock at mine."

"It won't help you any," returned his wife. "If fortune wants to find you she'll have to go to the club and send in her card."—Chicago Post.

Out of the Frying Pan.

Husband—She is by all odds the worst cook we ever had.

Wife—I know it. But she is going to stay until we get some one else.

"That's good. I didn't know but you would have to cook the meals."—Detroit Free Press.

If a row threatens you don't let it go so far that you become bitter and are willing to hurt yourself in order to hurt your enemy.—Atchison Globe

Railroad Fares Again Lowered.

Commencing February 15th and ending April 7th, passenger rates from the East to California will be cut almost in half:

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Why Razors Get Tired.

"Do you know why we dip a razor in warm water before we begin shaving, and do you know why some ignorant men say a razon is 'tired?'" asked the barber. "Well, this is all due to the fact that a razor is a saw, not a knife, and it works like a saw, not like a knife. Examined under the microscope its edge, that looks so smooth to the naked eye, is seen to have innumerable and fine saw teeth. When these teeth get clogged with dirt all the honing and strapping in the world will do no good—the razor is dull and nothing will sharpen it. Then is the time the ignorant say it is 'tired' and stop using it, but the wise know it is only clogged.

"The wise, though, don't suffer their razors to get clogged. They dip them in warm water before they use them, and thus the teeth are kept clean. It is because a razor is a saw that lather doesn't soften the beard, as so many people think. It stiffens it, so that it will present a firm and resisting surface to the razor."—Philadelphia Record.

A Hint to Travelers.

While in Suffolk, Va., Henry Croll, Jr., proprietor of the Beaverton, Mich., Hardware Co., was taken very sick with bowel trouble. A traveling salesman from Saginaw, Mich., advised him to get a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which he did. "It soon cured me, and I take pleasure in recommending it," he says. No one should leave home on a journey without a bottle of this remedy. It is almost sure to be needed and is not obtainable while on steamships or cars. Sold by L. S. Simmons.

Intelligence In Eating.

It is difficult to lay down a regimen for indiscriminate adoption. A diet that would prove one person's making would very likely unmake another. This much is certain, a woman does not require as much food as a man, nor does a clerk in a store require the same amount and quality of food as a day laborer. A business woman may not eat so much as a man, but her needs are as great in point of quality and regularity of food.

Brain workers should eat fish, eggs, cream, fruits and whole wheat bread. They should eat enough of such food, be they men or women, but they should never overeat of anything.

An intelligent idea of our physical make up and of the nutritive value of different foods would preclude much recourse to doctors for advice when we are overtaken with indigestion or biliousness.—American Queen.

Afflicted With Rheumatism.

"I was and am yet afflicted with rheumatism," says Mr J. C. Bayne, editor of the Herald, Addington, Indian Territory, "but thanks to Chamberlain's Pain Balm am able once more to attend to business. It is the best of liniments." If troubled with rheumatism give Pain Balm a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. One application relieves the pain. For sale by L. S. Simmons.

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The Cocoa Tree.

A traveler in South America, where the cocoa tree is largely cultivated, speaks of the great care with which the young plants have to be protected from the sun, which, if very strong, is fatal to them. To secure this protection the planters shield them by banana trees and plantain trees, the broad leaves of which give them the needed shade. And even when they are full grown they need protection, which is given by trees known as "immortels," or, as the planters call them, "the mother of the cocoa." Thus the whole cocoa plantation has a sort of canopy.

The Doctor In China.

A story is told of a physician in China who had mismanaged a case, whereupon the indignant family seized him and tied him up, but in the night he managed to free himself and escaped by swimming a river, which cut off pursuit.

When he reached home, he found his son, who had just begun to study medicine, poring over his books. He wrung out his wet clothes and, turning to the student, said gravely:

"My son, don't be in a hurry with your books; the first and most important thing is to learn to swim."

Large Goat Herds, No Forests.

Greece pays dearly for her goats. They are everywhere, and wherever they are young trees cannot grow. The holm oak, for example, if left to itself attains a height of thirty or forty feet, but it is usually kept down by the goats to the dimensions of a shrub, at the top of which they continually gnaw.—Forest Leaves

Always Keeps Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the House.

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Saving Quality.

Gilbert White, the naturalist was once a university proctor, and of his performance of the office this anecdote is told: "On his rounds one evening White discovered an undergraduate lying on the ground, sleeping the sleep of intoxication, with his outer garments removed and neatly folded up at his side. The proctor awoke him and sent him to his college with an order to appear the next day for judgment. The culprit turned up in a highly contrite frame of mind. White said to him: 'You deserve an exemplary punishment, but I observed one circumstance which shows you are not wholly degraded. Your clothes were folded up by your side, indicating habits of care and neatness which appear incompatible with habitual degradation I shall therefore say no more.'"

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Before employing a fine word find a place for it.—Joubet.

The Value of Cats.

Cats are so common nowadays that people do not realize their value, although they would soon do so if they had to get along without them for awhile and suffer from the plague of vermin which would arrive through unrestricted multiplying of the pests which the pussies destroy and drive away. So late as the middle ages cats were comparatively scarce in Europe and were so highly prized that any person who killed one was obliged to pay a fine. This penalty sometimes was required to be paid in the shape of a pile of wheat big enough to cover the slain animal when it was held vertically by the tip of its tail, the nose touching the ground.

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S. L. Apple, ex-Probate Judge, Ottawa county, Kansas, writes: "This is to say I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for years, and that I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c, 50c and $1.00. Sold at Simmons' drug store.

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The stars are unveiling to thee;
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If alone thou wouldst call it with me.

Let us go where the wild flowers bloom
Amid the soft dews of the night,
Where the orange dispels its perfume
And the rose speaks of love and delight.

Remember, love, I must soon leave thee
To wander mid strangers alone;
At eve thy sweet smile will not greet me
Nor thy gentle voice at morn.

But, oh, 'twill be sweet to remember
That though I am far, far from thee,
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3.41 PM	3.36 PM	San Rafael and intermediates	7.20 PM	7.20 PM
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7.20 PM	7.20 PM	and intermediates	3.36 PM	3.41 PM
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